Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. (Original) A method for producing a heat exchanger box (1) from plastic by means of injection molding, characterized in that an agent is added or a method is used which in each case accelerates the crystallization of the plastic.
- 2. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 1, characterized in that a crystallization accelerator is added to the plastic.
- 3. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 1 or 2, characterized in that an exothermic or endothermic chemical foaming method or a physical foaming method is used.
- 4. (Original) The method as claimed in claim 3, characterized in that pressurized CO₂ and/or N₂ is supplied as physical blowing agent or CO₂ is generated as chemical blowing agent.
- 5. (**Original**) The method as claimed in claim 3, characterized in that polyethyleneenrobed granules are admixed as chemical blowing agent with the plastic prior to injection molding.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that the relaxation is accelerated.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that the plastic is polyamide, polyphenylene sulfide or polypropylene.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that the plastic is reinforced with glass fibers.

- 9. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that the heat exchanger box (1) is removed from the injection mold at a surface temperature of over 80°C.
- 10. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim $\underline{1}$, characterized in that the heat exchanger box (1) is removed from the injection mold at a surface temperature of $120^{\circ} \pm 10^{\circ}$ C.
- 11. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in one of the preceding claims claim 1, characterized in that an auxiliary tensioning means (2) is inserted immediately after the heat exchanger box (1) has been removed from the injection mold.
- 12. (Currently Amended) A heat exchanger box (1) made from plastic, characterized in that the heat exchanger box (1) is produced using the method as claimed in one of claims 1 to 11 claim 1.